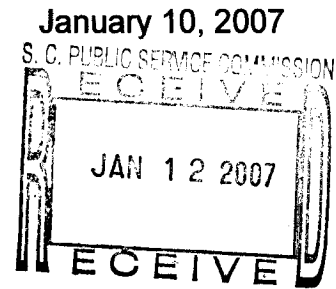


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Attention: Charles L. A. Terreni  
Chief Clerk/Administrator  
South Carolina Public Service Commission  
101 Executive Center Drive  
Columbia, SC 29211  
Dear Mr. Terreni:



I am filing the following written comments to you in accordance with Docket No. 2005-385-E -Order No. 2006-680 on the consideration of implementing the requirements of Section 1251 (Net Metering and Additional Standards) of the Energy Policy Act of 2005.

I support the federal government's plan for net metering for the following reasons:

1. Our current reliance on fossil fuels (including coal, petroleum, and natural gas) is unsustainable in the long run.

2. Net metering has already been successfully implemented in 40 states and the District of Columbia.

3. Net metering provides a significant financial incentive to change the way we generate electricity and to lower fossil fuel emissions.

For the above-mentioned reasons I strongly encourage the PSC to set net metering as standard for the public utilities that it regulates.

The rate of reimbursement for excess electricity that is fed to the electric company should be the same as the electricity purchased from the utility. The logic of the full reimbursement rate is that the contribution from distributed generators should reduce the size of distribution infrastructure required to be built. I understand that these distribution networks are a major expense to power companies.

Sincerely,

Mr. Stacy L. Hull, Resident, Homeowner

